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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 2666
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q57933

Claire MARTIN, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/513,169

Group Art Unit: 2666

Confirmation No.: 7864

Examiner: Melanie JAGANNATHAN

Filed: February 25, 2000

For: A METHOD TO PERFORM CENTRAL CONTROL, A LINE TERMINATOR AND AN ELEMENT CONTROLLER REALIZING SUCH A METHOD AND A TREE-LIKE NETWORK INCLUDING SUCH A LINE TERMINATOR AND AN ELEMENT CONTROLLER

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2005, please consider the following remarks on the accompanying pages.

REMARKS

Claims 1-18 are all the claims pending in the application. Claims 1-18 presently stand rejected.

Preliminary Matter

As a preliminary matter, the form PTO-892, Notice of References Cited, listing the new references found by the Examiner was not attached to the Office Action mailed April 29, 2005.